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WITH GROWING MOMENTUM, DAVIS TO
RE-INTRODUCE D.C. VOTING RIGHTS LEGISLATION

*High-Profile Bipartisan Group of Leaders To
Join Chairman in Support of Common-Sense Plan*

What: Chairman Tom Davis, joined by a bipartisan group of distinguished leaders, will announce the reintroduction of the D.C. Fairness in Representation Act (D.C. FAIR Act), a bill to grant the District of Columbia a full voting member of the U.S. House of Representatives.

This bill will correct the long-standing injustice that citizens of the District of Columbia, who pay federal taxes and who serve and die in the Armed Forces, have been denied full voting representation in the U.S. Congress. The Davis legislation is a politically neutral solution that has won the backing of constitutional scholars and local governments from across the nation

When: Tuesday, May 3, 2005, 1:00 p.m.

Where: Room 2247, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C.

Who: Government Reform Chairman Tom Davis (R-VA)
Mayor Anthony Williams (D-DC)
Council Chairman Linda Cropp (D-DC)
Former Republican Vice Presidential candidate Jack Kemp
Congressman Chris Cannon (R-UT)
Congressman Rob Bishop (R-UT)
Former Congresswoman Susan Molinari (R-NY)
U.S. Shadow Representative Ray Browne (D-DC)